

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 29, 1905

THE DEATH of General Fitzhugh Lee, which occurred in Washington last night, following closely the stroke of apoplexy he sustained at an early hour yesterday morning, has caused expressions of general regret throughout the country, especially in Virginia, his native State. and in Alexandria, which was virtually his city. Born in Fairfax county seventy years ago, he soon became as well-known Inheriting a military spirit and genius, after receiving his West Point training he followed the trend of his mind throughout most of his life, at first fighting Indians, later in the defense of his cablegram to that effect was sent this State and in the evening of his life in the operations in Cuba during the recent conflict between the United States and ne possessed with the powers of the soldier statesmanship, which manishadowed in these dispatches yesterday fested in official positions and on the forum. As Governor of his native State he fulfilled his stewardship with honor to the Commonwealth and credit to himself, while as a representative of the United States in Cuba at a critical period in the country's history, he showed untiring zeal in the interest of his government and his people As the sands of his life were nearly run terests of the Old Dominion, was working assiduously in behalf of the coming Jamestown exposition, and when death overtook him he was found endeavoring to further the interests of Virginia. While the projectors have lost a mighty worker in that movement, it is hoped the affair will be pushed with increased vigor in remembrance of him whose heart was set upon the exposition. The offspring of an illustrious family in American history, he inherited military of approach, friendly in deportment and naturally made lasting friendships whereever he went, the best evidence of which is the fact that he was popular in all parts of the country, and was esteemed by those of all political persuasions.

THE HIGHLY respectable citizens, the leading business and financial leaders and church pillars were held up as the most dangerous corruptionists in the paper read before the National Municipal League in Philadelphia Thursday by Dr. John B. Roberts on "The Real Cause of Municipal Corruption." In his paper Dr. Roberts said :

Study of municipal ills show their origin to be corporate greed tostered by personal selfishness and indifference of the citizen. The temper of the citizens makes the social, political and commercial atmosphere of the municipality. The claim that corruption in cities is due alone to allegiance to parties The same deals, lobbies and bribery are found in Congress, legislatures and town councils. Equally untrue is the assertion that ignorant voters, who sell their votes to those handling campaign funds, are the main factor in fraudulent elections. These are only the puppets of the political leaders, who must have the same intellectual strength, acumen and courage as are possessed by the captains of industry and the prominent men of

The above exceriations cannot be successfully controverted. If there were no buyers of voters there would be no

CHICAGO is convulsed by another strike hundreds of policemen are now corralled at certain points ready to repress disorder, while many more conservators of the peace are compelled to ride in delivery wagons with rifles in their laps in order that goods may be carried from one part of the city to another. There is a mighty struggle on between the teamsters' union and their sympathizers and the merchants concerning the maintenance of the open shop, and about one million dollars has been contributed by the latter to be spent in furthering their object. Both sides say it will be a fight to a or two. finish, and the outcome is awaited with

A WOMAN in Washington is suing the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad Company and Wm. J. Zeh for \$2,000 for pany and Wm. J. Zeh for \$2,000 for 322 east 101st street, this morning damages by coal dust to women's garments occasioned by unloading coal. Should the plaintiff recover the damages sought there may be similar actions in Alexandria, as complaints of people living contiguous to the Southern Railway depot and on Wilkes, Henry and Favette streets, are loud in their complaints of the clouds of smoke which time, who, he thinks, can throw some often envelop their houses.

Earthquake Shocks.

Geneva, April 29 .- An earthquake was felt throughout a great portion of Switzerland and southern France be-tween two and three o'clock this morning. A series of severe shocks was felt and slight damage wrought to property in Geneva and Chamounix, France, and a number of towns in the Canton of Valois, in the upper valley of the Rhone, No casualties have been reported. From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
Washington, D. C., April 29.
When the International Railway Congress opens here next week, America will for the first time entertain the emiment railroad men of the world in one of their quin-quennial gatherings. There will be offered in conjunction with the formal meetings of the Congress an ocu lar demonstration of all that is wonder-ful in American railroad science in the shape of the American Railway Appliance Exhibition. For this undertaking the manufacturers of railroad goods bave clubbed together and made a small world's fair near the Washington monument. The manufacturers say the exposition will represent an outlay of over a million dollars, while the space occupied by exhibits will be greater than that devoted to similar dis-

plays, at any of the world's fairs. The changes in the United States diplomatic service in South America announced today have been in contemplation for some time, but action has been bastened by the publication of the charges made by Minister Bowen, at Caracas, against the official integrity of Assistant secretary of State Loomis, during the years ago, he soon became as well-known time that he was U. S. Minister at the in Alexandria as on his native heath. Venezuelan capital. With promptness and decision, acting upon the advice of Secretary Taft, the President directed by telegraph that orders should be sent to Minister Bowen to return to Washington at the earliest moment possible. morning. It was signed by Mr. Loomis, who, as acting Secretary of State trans mitted the orders of the President. Minister Bowen will be required to make Spain Apart from his martial instincts he possessed with the powers of the Loomis. If he fails he will be dismissed Minister W. W. Russell has been select ed to succeed Minister Bowen at Cara-Mr. Russell is from Rockville, Md., and while his service in the diplomatic corps has been comparatively brief it has been eminently satisfactory in every post he has filled. Minister John Barrett, now stationed at Panama, has been transferred to Bogota where he will take up the work begun by Mr. Russell of improving the friendly relations with Colombia. He will be succeeded at General Lee, still looking after the in- Panama by Judge Chas. E. Magoon the newly appointed governor of the Pana-ma Canal Zone, who will also take over the diplomatic duties of Minister. Miss Mathilde Townsend, daughter of Mrs. Richard Townsend, is ill with ap-

family who formerly owned the property became poverty stricken and the ancestral home was sold over their heads, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Townseud bought American history, he inherited mintary genius and statecraft, coupled with courtesy and pleasantry. He was easy ionable parts of the town, and made preparations to erect a magnificent residence on the site of the century-old structure occupied by the late tenants. announcement of the Townsend plans ap-peared in the papers, and just before the work of wiecking was to begin, Mrs. Townsend received a call from an old woman, a member of the family that had been dispossessed. "Do not dare to de-stroy our old home" the visitor said. "If you do, I will lay my curse upon you and yours." Mrs. Townsend, it is said, was as impressed with the old woman' warning that she made a remarkable change in her building plans. She ordered the new house built around the old. Every brick in the walls of the ancient house remained where it was but not a vestige of the old home could be seen either from without or within. Marble walls surrounded the weather beaten bricks and the interior of the ancient pile was torn out to make way for the par-titions and furnishings of what was at ty. the time the most magnificent home in the Capital. But "the curse" was not is to be evaded by thus obeying the letter because state and of the warning and violating its spirit. national governments are as honey-combed with corruption as city councils. In a very short time Mr. Richard Town-last night, decided to investigate the charges of J. D. Eggleston, jr., a candi-Since his widow and daughter have lived in constant dread of sorrows yet to come. Although the family physician is now cheering Mr. Townsend by telling her that Miss Mathilde's case is not likely to terminate fatally, the poor wo-man is said to have declared that she has abandoned hope. "Where will the curse strike next?" the gossips are ask-

send family. Years ago, it seems, the

A fire in the President's office building adjoining the White House caused excitement but no damage this morning. at 9:30 o'clock. The trouble started when attendants built a wood fire in the fireplace in the room usually occupied by Secretary to the Presiedent, Loeb, but now the headquarters of Assistant Secretary Barnes. An accumulation of soot blazed up and sent a pillar of flames ten into the air. An engine was summoned and a steam from the "chemical" down the chimmey put an end to the in-

Miss Helen Clabaugh, daughter of Chief Justice Clabaugh, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, was married this afternoon at St. Tho Church to Benjamin Boulding Lamberton, jr., of Schenectady. New York, son of Rear Admiral Lamberton, U. S. N. David E. Thompson, now Ambassa-dor at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, will be

transferred to Mexico, after Mr. Conger,

Another Murder Mystery. New York, April 29.—The entire de-tective force are at work today trying to solve the mystery surrounding the death of Mrs. Margaret Whalen, aged 75, who was found dead in bed at her residence, days, and from the position of the body the police believe that she is the victim of a murderer. The woman's head was wrapped in bandages and her face and waist were covered with blood. At the side of the bed, an axe was found. Captain Dennis Brennan has sent out a general alarm for a German, whose name light on the mystery.

Town Destroyed. Austin, Tex., April 29.-The town of d immense cathedral and other large buildings were destroyed. The town has 15,000 inhabitants.

The Market, Georgetown, April 29 .- Wheat 90a\$1.05. News of the Day.

The Netherlands government has given \$280,000 for the purchase of a site Audrew Carnegie's Palace of Peace.

In Louisville, Ky., yesterday, Bishop McCabe expressed himself in favor of the organic union of the two branches of

The Census Bureau has issued the inal report on the cotton crop grown in 1904, showing an increase of 35 per cent, over the yield of the previous year.

A police census of the District of Columbia shows a population of 322,445 of which 227,607 are whites. There is a gain of 43,727 over the federal census of

Count Okuna estimates the number of Japanese sick and wounded during the war at 200,000 to 300,000, and the number of killed or who died of disease at 50,000.

Mr. R. Wyndham Walden, proprietor of the Bowling Brook stock farm, at Middleburg, Carroll county Md., died yesterday, after a brief illness, of pneu monia, in his sixty-first year.

The Conterence for Education in the South closed its sessions at Columbia. S. C., last night, and the conference ad journed until the call of the executive York, w.s reelected president.

After a meeting of the directors of the Wabash Railroad company in New York yesterday, it was semi-officially an-nounced that President Ramsay and Mr. Gould had settled their differences and that Mr. Ramsay will probably re-main at the head of the company.

After a day of interesting develop ments, both the prosecution and the de-fense yesterday in New York rested the case of "Nan" Patterson, the former actress, indicted for the alleged murde of "Caesar" Young, almost a year ago. The prosecution finished its case just be fore the adjournment of the court, and later Attorney O'Reilly, of counsel for Miss Patterson, notified the prosecution that his side would submit no defense, and would rest on the contention that the State had failed to make out any case against the defendant.

## Virginia News.

Rev. William D. Smith, of Freder icksburg, has been called to Christ Epis copal Church, at Winchester.

Loudoun county, with a population of nearly 30,000, has not had a criminal case on the dockets of the courts for two pendictis, and the gossips of the older society set are again whispering the story of "the ourse" which has long hovered over the mansion occupied by the Town-

During a storm late Thursday evening lightning struck the large barn on the estate of Mrs. Lizzie Price, near Wheatland, Loudoun county. The build ings and contents were destroyed, entailing a loss estimated at \$4,000.

Mr. J. W. Jones's store at Limstrong, Prince William county, was burned Thursday night between 11 and 12 o'clock.— Nothing was saved. Mr. Jones was in Manassas at the time and did not get back until after the fire.

Mr. H. W. B. Williams, cashier of the bank at Colonial Beach, in Westmoreland county, and Miss Clara V. Denmead, daughter of Mr. James Denmead, of West Point, were married Wednesday at the home of the bride.

B ard of Education

Three sessions were held in Richmond vesterday by the State Board of Educaion, devoted mainly to tentatively selecting superintendents where there are no strenuous contests. Where these occur, no action was taken. As stated vesterday the board was retarded in its work by the sickness of Gov. Montague, who is suffering from a neuralgic affection, and by the absence of Mr. John I'. West, who returned to his home yes terday afternoon because of the illness of a relative. According to W. A Bowles, a member of the board, the su-perintendents elected will not be anounced before June 1, when the May educational campaign will be over.

The school board, before adjourning

date for the office of superintendent of public instruction, which are to the efyears been made for the teachers' regis ter, and that there has been carelessness in other directions. Mr. Eggleston has ment.

Twelve Men Killed.

Twelve men were killed and one will die as the result of an explosion at the Eleanora shaft, near Big Run. The from Big Run, on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railway, 12 miles south of Dubois, Pa. It is in an isolated part of the county, and the explosion, which occurred Thursday night, was not known in Dubois until yesterday. The mine is owned and operated by the Rochester and Pittsburg Coal and Iron Company, and is a comparatively new shaft, hav-ing been opened two years ago.

The mine was thought to be free from

dangerous gases. The night shift was small, or there would have been more fatalities. Every man who was in the mine at the time of the explosion except one is reported killed. Three bodies have thus far been recovered. Two of them were English-speaking and resided at Eleanora, a small mining village two miles from the shaft.

Mysterious Disappearance.

E. J. Dempsey of Winchester, Va., and a former merchant of that place, has mysteriously disappeared from Bellefonte, Pa., where he was in business, and his wife believes he has met with foul play. When Mrs. Dempsey left her husband several months ago he was in good health and spirits. On Thursday she received a letter from a lawyer in Bellefonte asking if she knew anything of the whereabouts of her husband, as he had disappeared. Mrs. Dempsey has not heard from her husband for over four weeks. His business, it is said, was in good shape.

Best Cough Medicine for Children, When you buy a cough medicine for small children you want one in which you can place implicit confidence. You want one that not only relieves but cures. You want one that is unquestionably harmless. You want one that is pleas-ant to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these condition Austin, Tex., April 29.—The town of Laredo, Texas, on the Rio Grande, on the Mexican border, was wiped out by a cyclone last night. It is reported that fifty people were killed; also that a large also a certain preventive and cure for Ewell's adjutant general at the first battle whooping cough when it is given. It has been used in many epidemics of that disease with perfect success. sale by Gibson & Timberman and F. Creighton & C.

Death of General Lee.



General Fitzhugh Lee, who was striken with apoplexy about 2 o'clock yesterday morning while on a train en route from Boston to Washington, died at

11:20 last night at Providence Hospital. His death came suddenly. At 9 o'clock last night Major Guy L. Edie, of the Army Medical Staff, who had charge of the case, issued a bulletin stating that General Lee's respiration was 32, his temperature 98.8 and his

General Lee's pulse was 126 vesterday morning. Last night it had come down to 112. There had been no particular change in his condition since morning He had taken some nourishment in th shape of milk. He was conscious and conversed, but breathing was difficult and articulation was thick

Major J. R. Kean, Major Charles F. Mason, of the army, and Dr. Hardin were in consultation with Major Edie over the case.
At 11:15 last night Drs Kean and

Edie reported that General Lee's condi-tion had taken a turn for the worse. His breathing became difficult and the pulse was not so good. A few minutes later he was dead.

At his bedside when he died were his brother, Daniel N. Lee, and Drs. Edie and Kean. The end came quite suddenly and was without pain.

Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee and two of the

daughters will arrive today from Fort Oglethorpe, near Chickamauga Park These daughters are: Virginia Lee and Ellen, the wife of Lieutenant Rhea, who s stationed at Chickamauga, Lieut, George Mason Lee, a son, who married a daughter of General Burton, and Lieutenant Brown and his wife, who was formerly Miss Annie Lee, are in San Francisco. They have lett for the East. Lieutenant Brown and Lieut. George Lee are both attached to the Seventl cavalry, which has been ordered to sail for the Philippines on Sunday. Their orders have been countermanded. Lieutenant Brown and his wife have been spending their honeymoon .on Pacific coast, and but for a delay in sailing they would now be on their way to the Orient. All of General Lee's children except Lieut. Fitzhugh Lee, jr., who is in the Philippines, will go Washington as fast as trains can bring

As was stated in yesterday's Gazette, General Lee was on the Federal express when be was stricken, the train being near a terminal of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, in the vicinity of the Harlem river. He first complained of a pain about the heart, which was diagnosed, but later he sus tained a serious stroke of paralysis, was transferred to Jersey City and the Pullman car Ludlow, in which General Lee rode, was brought all the way to tered to the general during the run be-tween Jersey City and Washington.

Gen. Lee left Washington several weeks ago in the interest of the James town Exposition, for which he had been working very hard. He at that time said he felt in the best of health. He had just returned from western States, where he had succeeded in interesting legislature in the exposition and after leaving Washington he went north, ap-pearing before the legislatures of Penn-sylvania, New Jersey and New York, seeking State appropriations for the exposition. He was in Boston Thursday to advocate the representation of Massachusetts in the exposition and in the afternoon appeared before the legislative committee on federal relations, making a strong address in favor of the erection of a State building by Massa-

chusetts at the exposition.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee was the son of Sidney Smith Lee (a brother of Robert 5. Lee) who was an officer in the United States navy and afterward in the Confederate navy. He was the great-grand-son of Light Horse Harry Lee, and on his mother's side the great grandson of George Mason, who drafted the bill of rights of Virginia and stood shoulder to shoulder with Patrick Henry in the formative part of our colonial history.

Fitzhugh Lee was born at Clermont Fairfax county, Va., November 19, 1835. He was graduated from West Point in 1856 and chose the cavalry, the arm of the service that had been the choice of his dashing ancestor. He began his service as a line officer in that wonderful regiment of the old regular

army—the Second Cavalry.

The regiment's first colonel was Albert Sidney Johnston, who became famous as a general in the Confederate army. Robert E. Lee was lieutenant colonel. The senior major was William J. Har-dee, author of "Hardee's Tactics," and the next ranking major was George H. Thomas, now known to fame as "The Rock of Chickamauga," because he held the gap at Rossville while the Union army, cut to pieces, retreated back upon Chattanooga. Van Dorn, another famous soldier, was a major in the old Second calvary. E. Kirby Smith was captain of the troop in which Fitzhugh

comauchee Indians have often been told, and his valiant actions in encounters with the savages are a part of history.

The deceased resigned his commission as an officer in the United States army

cellent training and great experience on the plains of Texas in the historic Second deceased general, in case it is decided to

ommissioned lieutepant colonel of the made brigadier general, and about a year there is none stationed in that vicinity. later he became a major general He was a conspicuous figure in the battle of Winchester, on which occasion three horses were shot under him and he was severely wounded.

After several months spent in the hospital he returned to the field, and in March, 1865, he was placed in command of the entire cavalry corps of the Army of Northern Virginia. Lee displayed skill as well as courage as a cavalry leader. At Farmville, near Appomattox, be led a brilliant charge, drove back General Crook's cavalry division, and held the key to the situation until Sheridan and Ord arrived with federal reinforcements and put an end to the struggle. On the following day Gen. Robert E. Lee and General Grant settled the terms of the surrender of the Confederate forces.

After the close of the war Fitzhugh Lee retired to his home in Stafford county and prepared to devote himself to peaceful pursuits. Like a true soldier, he accepted the result philosophically and counseled his neighbors to re-turn to their several industries and make the best of the situation.

General Lee was elected governor of Virginia in 1885, and his campaign was a succession of personal ovations ending following telegram to Secretary Taft, and in a gratifying majority. His opponent was Capt. John S. Wise. After he had served his term as governor his friends undertook to secure his election as United States senator, but existing political combinations were too powerful to be overcome.

During President Cleveland's first term he appointed General Lee one of the members of the board of visitors at West Point, and in 1896 made him Consul General at Havana.

General Lee was retained as consul general to Havana by President McKinley because the President and his cabinet convinced themselves that under the circumstances they could not get as well

equipped a man to take his place.

When General Lee left his post at Havana, just before the outbreak of the Spanish war, his trip in Washington was a succession of ovations by day and night. At Washington he was greeted as the hetook occasion more than once to compli-ment him for his ability in dealing with the trying conditions that had existed in Havana. General Lee was soon com-missioned as a major general of volunteers, and after the treaty of peace returned to Cuba, where he carried out his promise that he would ride into Havana at the head of American troops.

General Lee leaves five children len, Fitzhugh, George, Anne and Vir-ginia Lee. Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee is a daughter of the late George D. Fowle., of this city, and spent most of her early life avert the necessity of bringing troops to

Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee and two daughters, Mrs. James T. Rhea and Mrs. Lewis Brown, left Chattanooga, Tenn., last night at 10:30 for Washington to attend the bedside of Gen. Lee. When they left Chattanoogo they did not know of Gen. Lee's death, and the news was not told them until the train reached Cleve-

Mrs. Lee has been at Fort Oglethorpe, the new army post at Chickamauga Park, for several weeks, visiting her daughters, who are the wives of officers in the Seventh cavalry which is stationed there. Mrs. Lee and her two daughters are due to arrive in Washington 9:50

will it be till Mrs. Lee reaches Washington, it is more than probable that the inmond. The family lot where Gen. Lee's father, mother and brothers are buried is in Christ Church cemetery, this city, but the impression among the general's is a member of John Wanamaker's firm, friends here is that he will be buried in

## Today's Telegraphic News

Who Late General Lee. Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette. Richmond, Va., April 29 .- At the

instance of the governor, who is still burned. Some of the sick and was unable to attend the pinned under the wreck. conference of the State and city officers held today upon the death of Gen. Lee, the result was that Lieut. Gov. Williard, acting to the State, and Mayor McCarthy, for the city of Richmond, went to Washington to try to secure the burial here. If successful the body will lie in state in St. Paul's Church. Flags are at half-mast over the governor's office and the City Council, and Confederate camps will meet tonight to take action. Gen. Lee expressed a desire to lie in Hollywood and had tentatively selected a lot therein. time General Fitzhugh Lee repeatedly expressed the desire to be buried in Hollywood cemetery here, and ever went so far as to negotiate for the pur-chase of a square. He had nearly concluded such purchase last year, when he took hold of the Jamestown Exposition project and removed with his family to Norfolk. He favored a site adjacent to the square in which the Contederate President, Jefferson Davis, is buried, and close to the grave of Dr. J. L. M. Curry, the publicist and southern

A meeting of officials of the State government was held at 11 o'clock today, at which a committee was appointed to go to Washington this afternoon to asi Mrs. Lee to let the body be buried in Hollywood. The City Council is called to meet at four o'clock Sunday afternoon to unite in this invitation and to offer the City Hall for use as the temporary resting place for the body of the distin-guished soldier.

A military funeral on a scale of unusual splendor is planned The Wednes-Club Music Festival, will close Tuesday night, with singing of a re-quiem in honor af Lee's memory. The Boston Festival Symphony orchestra and noted soloists will take part and the

the plains of Texas in the historic Second deceased general, in case it is decided to cavalry of the old army of the United make the interment in Arlington ceme-States.

In the Confederate army Fitzhugh
Lee was first assigned to staff duty and speedily became adjutant general of Ewell's brigade. Subsequently he was Only a few Confederate veterans have been buried in the national cemeters First Virginia cavalry, and later was made colonel, participating in all of the home of the Virginia Lees. In case the campaigns of the Army of Northern interment is at Richmond, regular Virginia. On July 25, 1862, he was

The Chicago Strike.

Chicago, April 29.—Chicago employers will today test the regard of striking team sters and other employees for the federal injunction granted yesterday by Judge Kohlsaat, General Manager Edwin T. Reed, of the Employers Teaming Com-pany, said that five hundred drivers will e sent out today with the injunction as their only protection. The employers rely upon the courts power to enforce its mandates. A Washington dispatch last night said that in case the strike gets beyond the control of the municipal and State authorities, Governor Dineen's requisition for federal assistance will be promptly honored. Should the strike sympathizers or mobs interfere with the transportation of the mails, the federal troops will be called into service. Dry goods houses and express companies de-livered goods to all parts of the city and suburbs during last night, free from in terference and with little police protec-tion. The United States Express Com-Dany wagons had a guard of thirty police-

men but they had nothing to do.

President Shea, of the Teamsters' Union, does not favor the idea of troops following telegram to Secretary Tait, and to Col. Yeatman, commanding the post he had at Fort Sheridan:

"The international Brotherhood of Teamsters will furnish union drivers without compension for all wagons dong a government business. They will bey orders issued by any teaming contractors for the United States government."

Shea also spoke against the plan which had gained some prominence of calling out the freight handlers at the railway depots. "We don't want the freight handlers to quit," he said. "If they did, it would throw all the teamsters of Chi-cago out of business." Mayor Dunne feels able at the present time to control he strike situation.

States Attorney Healy has been in-vestigating the strike and says if evidence of a conspiracy to boycott business firms or restrain trade is found, the grand jury will return indictments. The grand jury will submit its final report today.

Several disturbances are reported to-day in which the participants received njuries, mostly of a minor nature. The packers have delivered an ultima-

tum to their drivers, that they must de-liver goods to boycotted firms or suffer discharge. This means a strike to the stock yards. This means a spread of the President Roosevelt may be appealed

to end the strike as he did in the case of the anthracite coal mines. A resolu-tion asking the President to step in and force the employers to arbitrate and so Chicago, will be introduced in the Chicago Federation of Labor at a special meeting this afternoon.

At 12:30 p. m. a double rlot call was turned in from Madison and Market streets. Fifty shots have been fired. Reports of violence attending the etforts of the employers to move wagons continue to be received at the police

Train Wrecked.

Greenville, S. C., April 29.-A special train bearing Robert C. Ogden and a party of prominent New Yorkers, returning from Columbia, S. C. was wrecked near here today. W. W. Canning, a cook, was caught in the wreck Although it is not yet definitely set tled where Gen. Lee will be buried, nor will it be till Mrs. Lee reaches Washingcars, left Columbia this morning for this city, where the party was to be re-ceived by the Mayor. The train was is des composed of one baggage car, a smoker, two dining cars, six compartment cars, and an observation car. Mr. Ogden, who Conference for Education in the South. News of the wreck was received here and a wrecking train and a party of physicans were dispatched to the scene. Details of the wreck have not been received. Four of the ten cars were burned. Some of the injured were

The Ogden special was running into the city at a rapid rate of speed, on the Southern Railroad, when a switch engine with some cars backed out on the main track. In the collision which followed, the engines were wrecked, and the baggage cars and two dining cars were piled up in a heap and set on fire. The accident occurred shortly before eight o'clock.

Washington, D. C., April 29 .- Superintendent of Transportation Seale of the Southern Railroad said at noon today that his reports deny that any cars had been burnt in the Greenville wreck, and failed to state that anyone had been killedfor burned to death.

To Reconstruct Navy.

St. Petersburg, April 29.-The pre liminary steps for the reconstruction of the Russian navy have been taken by the government. Rumors as to the intentions of the Czar on this subject have been circulated for several months, and these have been increased in the last few days by the visit of American steel experts and shipbuilders, to Tsarskoe-Selo where they were received by the Czar. Nothing in regard to the actual plans was made known until today, however. It is now stated that orders have been placed in Germany for a number of torpedo boats. One battleship, two crui-sers and eighteen submarines will be laid down in Russian shipyards in the near future. It is probable that these vessels will be constructed under the supervision of Americans. No orders or the construction of battleships in America have been given yet.

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Forget About Your Stomach,

May 21, 1861, and he at once entered the Confederate service, acting as General Ewell's adjutant general at the first battle of Bull Run.

His brillant career afterward in the Army of Northern Virginia, as one of the most dashing generals of cavalry this country has ever seen, was owing in large degree, no doubt, to his expenses of the children who will be able to prepared to assest with all the details of the details of the children who will be able to prepared to assest with all the details of the details of the children who will be able to prepared to assest with all the details of the children who will be able to th

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## Lansburgh & Bro.. 420 to 426 Seventh Street,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

New York, April 29 .- Nan Patterson spent a rather poor night, and this morning scarcely touched her breakfast. Her sister, Mrs. Julia Smith, is in the same plight. The two young women this morning denied themselves to all callers, except their father and their counsel.

Nan apparently realizes that her sister. Julia, did all that she could for her in the predicament in which she found herself at the close of the case, yesterday. Neither of the women had any idea that Mr. Rand was going to confront them with any jewelry that was placed with Hyman Stern by J. Morgan Smith. Levy also was ignorant of these pledges, otherwise he would not have attempted otherwise he would not have attempted to cross examine Mrs. Smith, thereby opening the doors for Mr. Rand to drag in the jewelry. The District Attorney's office is confident that Nan will be convicted of homicide in one of the degrees. They will be perfectly satisfied if the jury finds her guilty of manslaughter in the second degree. That would mean some sort of punishment for Nan, and what is more important, to Mrs. Young, and other members of the Young's family, the stigma of suicide would be re-

Mr. Levy and others of the accus chorus girl's counsel, on the other hand, are just as confident of an acquittal. Mr. Levy declared today that the one reason for not calling any witnesses for the defense is because the State has failed to make out its case.

Attacked by Would-be Snickle.

Quincy, Mass., April 29.—Andrew Mischler met with a very exciting ex-perience late yesterday, while endeavorng to prevent a man from committing suicide and, after having succeeded in his efforts, he was assaulted by the would-be suicide, and received hard usage. Mr. Mischler was passing through Goffe street, and saw a man in a tree on Waslay road. Suddenly the man jumped from the tree and then Mischler noticed that he was suspended by a rope, with his feet dangling several inches from the ground. He rushed to the place and cut the man down. The at not being able to accomplish his de-sire, and he turned upon Mischler, knocked him down and jumped upon him and ran off in the direction of Adams with the rope still daugling about his neck. The would-be suicide is described as being about 35 years old,

Killed in Melee.

London, April 29 .- A dispatch to the Central News from Odessa, says during a meeting of an ambulance society, to discuss the inadequacy of the measures being taken by the government to prevent the spread of cholera epidemic, eight police spies were discovered in the building where the meeting was being held. The doctors attacked the spies vigorous ly. A sotnia, or company of Cossacks, was called to the spot and dispersed the meeting. Two women, medical stu-dents, were killed in the melee and seven others were seriously injured.

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Shepherd K. Smith, husband of the Manchester woman who is in custody charged with administering a fatal whip-ping to a child, has been arrested in New York charged with being a party to the crime.

Suffering from an attack of nervous rostration, Ignaz Padereaks the pianist. arrived in Boston early today, in his pri-

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